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March 31, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman U.S. House Appropriations Committee 1026 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member U.S. House Appropriations Committee 2358 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Perpetual Care Group Home for Veterans Independent Veterans Community Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Perpetual Group Home for Veterans located at 2400 N. Sarah St., St. Louis, Missouri 63113. The funding would be used for the construction of the Perpetual Care Group Home for Veterans.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will provide a safe environment for our wounded and aging veterans by allowing veterans to be in a surrounding closely knitted to that of their home and existing community. Perpetual will focus on veterans with physical and mental disabilities who do not have support and cannot obtain the appropriate level of health care that is needed.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

CORI BUSH

Member of Congress